

## TO REMOVE STAINS

PREPARATIONS FOR THE MOST OBSTINATE CASES.

**Furbish Soiled Woodwork—Cleaning the Bathtub—Greasy Sink—Treatment for Creaking Door Hinges.**

Put kerosene on the soiled wood and let it stand for an hour or so to soften the dirt; then wash with soap and warm water and wipe dry.

Next rub on a mixture of kerosene and turpentine—one-third turpentine and two-thirds oil. Polish with soft flannel. Let it rest for an hour or so, then polish with soft linen.

If the surface is very dull, dirty and scratched, instead of washing with soap and water, add more oil and make powdered rosinstone over it. Rub gently and regularly, first with a circular motion and then with the grain of the wood. When the surface is smooth and bright, rub off the rosinstone and finish as you would after washing with soap and water.

To clean the bathtub, first dry it, then rub the stains with a piece of flannel dipped in kerosene. If the stains are very obstinate, scour them with a flannel well moistened with kerosene; then sprinkle them with soap. After the bath has been cleaned, remove all traces of kerosene by washing it thoroughly with hot water and soap.

If the sink gets greasy, a little kerosene well rubbed in will make it beautifully clean.

After buckets and tins, if cleaned with kerosene, will look as good as new.

Kerosene is also used to dissolve grease that has hardened on the metal work of mangles and wringing machines. The metal work should be soaked in the kerosene and the mangle worked for a minute or two until the grease becomes liquid, which should then be wiped off with an old rag.

Kerosene is employed for the removal of paint stains. The stain, if colored clothes, must be dipped in the oil and rubbed between the hands, then washed in soapy water.

If the stain is on a white garment it should be treated as for kerosene staining. If after boiling any trace of stain is left it can be removed by washing and rubbing in soap and water.

Creaking door hinges should be oiled with a feather dipped in kerosene. This simple treatment will at once stop the unpleasant, nerve-jarring noise.

Grass stains on table linen yield to kerosene.

### Celeried Oysters.

Wash one pint of oysters, drain and dry in napkin. Melt two tablespoons butter and roll one-half cupful of cracker crumbs. Dip the oysters in the butter, then in crumbs after adding a dash of salt and pepper. Cook in hot buttered frying pan. Spread on slices of well-buttered toasted bread. Pour over them white sauce, and sprinkle with finely chopped celery.

**White Sauce**—Melt two tablespoons butter, blend with it two tablespoons flour; season with salt and pepper, adding gradually one cupful scalded milk. This is excellent prepared in a chafing dish.

### A Table Novelty.

Here's a change from the familiar featherbed.

A hostess with a fondness for things Japanese introduced it.

She had little wicker baskets placed before each guest.

In each basket was a folded napkin of Japanese material.

These napkins had been made quite moist, but not dripping, with perfumed water.

Each guest used this napkin, keeping it folded, on lips and fingers.

### To Clean White Enamel.

Soap never should be used in cleaning paint, especially white enamel or any paint with a gloss, as it removes the gloss, which is its chief charm. If in washing enameled woodwork a cupful of common carpenter's glue is added and poured into a pail of warm water it not only will facilitate the cleaning but will leave a high gloss such as new paint has. If once used this common glue will become a household necessity.

### Eggless Ginger Cake.

Put a pint of good sirup into a deep bowl, stir in sifted flour until mass begins to break or crumble. Add two large tablespoonfuls lard and a good pinch salt. (Melt lard after measuring.) Put in ginger to suit taste and last add one and a half cupfuls boiling water in which are dissolved three teaspoonfuls soda. Bake in slow oven 45 minutes. Spice and raisins may be added.

### Apple Salad.

Pare, quarter and core six tart apples. Cut the quarters in halves lengthwise and then slice. Wash and crisp the lettuce and arrange it in a salad bowl. Add the apple and sprinkle over it a finely chopped Spanish pepper and a cupful of chopped walnuts and almonds. Pour a French dressing over all and serve.—What-to-Eat.

### Ham Patties.

Mix one pint cold boiled ham, chopped fine, with two parts bread crumbs wet with milk. Put the batter in gem pans, hollow out center, break an egg in each, sprinkle with salt and pepper, and cover with cracker or bread crumbs and bake until browned over.

## HOW TO KNOW PURE PAINT.

A Way in Which It May Be Identified Before Using.

After a building has been painted long enough for a weather test, it is easy to tell if the paint used was made of pure White Lead or not. But such belated knowledge comes like locking the barn after the colt is stolen.

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### LUMBAGO

This is really Rheumatism of the Muscles of the Loins and is characterized by a severe, at times, agonizing pain in the small of the back, allowing the sufferer scarcely a moment's rest, while the ailment is at its worst. It can come from cold, exposure to draft, from getting wet feet or wearing wet or damp clothing. It causes acute suffering, and if allowed to become chronic it may permanently disable the sufferer. The way to secure quickest relief is to rub the skin over the painful part by rubbing with a flesh brush or piece of flannel rag, and then apply ST. JACOB'S OIL, by gentle friction with the hand.

### Red-Headed Boy Still Busy.

"What," asks the Wyoming Tribune, "has become of the old-fashioned freckled-faced boy who got the water, chopped the wood, split the kindling, milked the cows, fed the pigs, carried the horse and did such other chores as his parents found for him to do?" He's probably being kept busy handling his lazy son money with which to buy rolled-up trousers and cigarettes.—Denver Post.

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"Fifteen-two and a pair makes four," said Subbubs, who was playing cribbage with Poppley. "What have you in your crib?"

"Ah!" replied Poppley, absent-mindedly, "just the sweetest little outsum-tootsums girl in the world."

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## IN MANY LINES OF BUSINESS.

Witness Evidently Was a Man of Unusual Qualifications.

B. T. Jocelyn of Wichita was court stenographer for Judge Hancock of Oklahoma for several years. One time a case was being tried before Judge Hancock and they were endeavoring to find out through a witness whether there had been any liquor sold.

"What is your business?" asked the lawyer. "My business," repeated the witness laconically. "Oh, I have lots of business." "Answer the question," said the lawyer. "What is your business?" "Must I tell all my business?" insisted the witness again. "Answer the question," interposed the judge severely.

"Well," responded he cheerfully, "I'm deputy sheriff and city marshal for Guiler, janitor of the church and bartender of the El Paso saloon."—Kansas City Times.

### AIDS CHICORY INDUSTRY.

United States Government Seeks to Interest Farmers in Its Cultivation.

An increasing demand for chicory as a coffee addition has caused the United States Government to make a special effort to induce American farmers to grow the plant. (See Bulletin 19, U. S. Department of Agriculture.)

Chicory is a root grown something like the beet or carrot, and has been used as a food in various ways for centuries. More than a hundred years ago during the Napoleonic wars, the continent of Europe was cut off from the outside world, and coffee, of which the Dutch in particular are very fond, became scarce and high in price.

It was found that the chicory root, dried, roasted and ground, made a most excellent substitute. Soon many were drinking it entirely, while others mixed it with a certain proportion of genuine coffee.

These people found that it gave the coffee a richer, fuller flavor, and that the injurious effects which pure coffee has on many were entirely overcome. Since then chicory has been extensively used by coffee merchants, and the preparation of it as an addition to coffee has become a large business, giving employment to thousands of men. Many large factories in Europe and several in America are manufacturing thousands of tons annually.

Being an necessary addition to coffee, as salt is to soup, chicory has come into great demand, and to supply this demand the government is interesting itself. It promises an entirely new and profitable field of endeavor for the American farmer.

### Surely a No-Account Dog.

A man in Missouri recently sued a railway company for damages for the death of a hound killed on the track, says the Youth's Companion. The company defended itself upon the following points:

Said dog was chasing a rabbit up defendant's tracks in violation of the game laws.

Said rabbit lived on defendant's right of way, and was therefore the property of the defendant.

Plaintiff's dog was a trespasser, and was hunting defendant's property without permission.

Said deceased was not much of a dog, anyhow, or it could easily have kept out of the way of defendant's trains.

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### Out to Be Some Special Place.

On the way across the Styx a dispute as to precedence arose.

"I used to put pig iron into life preservers," declared one shade.

"I made rotten fire hose," said the other.

"Dump 'em both overboard, Charon," yelled Satan. "I don't want 'em."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Every Lady Should Take Advantage

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### The Hottentot Tot.

If a Hottentot tot a Hottentot tot To tot ere the tot could totter, Ought the Hottentot tot To be taught to say "taught" Or "naught," or what ought to be taught her?

Or— If to hoet and toot a Hottentot tot Be taught by a Hottentot tooter, Should the tooter get hot if the Hottentot tot Hoot and toot at the Hottentot tutor? —Charles S. Putnam, in The Sunday Magazine.

### It's Fine.

C. M. Johnson, Louisville, Ky., writes:

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